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Acronyms, Abbreviations and Definitions

UL Underwriters Laboratories

IEEE Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

ANSI American National Standards Institute
IEC International Electrotechnical Commission

NFPA National Fire Protection Association

C.T. Computer Tomography

JISC Japanese Industrial Standards Committee

BMS Battery Management System

S.O.C. State of Charge

OEM Original Equipment Manufacturer
SEM Scanning Electron Microscopy
EDS Energy Dispersive Spectroscopy

USB Universal Serial Bus
NSI North Star Imaging
mAH milli-Ampere-Hour

FMEA Failure Mode and Effect Analysis

ETP Eskra Technical Products

NREL National Renewable Energy Laboratories

NASA National Aeronautical and Space Administration

LIB Lithium Ion Battery

CID Current Interrupting Device



I. Executive Summary

Matter Assignment

On September 13, 2023, McCoy, Leavitt, & Laskey, LLC requested SEA, Ltd. (S-E-A) to conduct an electrical evaluation and investigation in connection with the fire loss that occurred at the Wadsworth residence (The Residence), on February 1, 2022, located at 1620 Highway 374 in Green River, Wyoming. The investigation was assigned to S-E-A Senior Electrical Engineer Samuel G. Sudler III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, F.NSPE, C.F.E.I., C.V.F.I. as S-E-A Matter No. 06.136153. Eugene M. LaFlamme, Esquire of McCoy Leavitt Laskey, LLC represents the interests of Jetson Electric Bikes, LLC (Jetson) and Walmart.

Scope

Specifically, S-E-A was requested to conduct an electrical evaluation and investigation to determine, if possible, whether the cause of the fire loss was associated with the Jetson Plasma Hoverboard device.

Methodology

The investigation and analysis of any fire-related incident is a complex and scientific endeavor. The methodology of such an endeavor, therefore, must include the comprehensive, objective, and accurate compilation and analysis of the available data. The methodology utilized by S-E-A in the investigation of this fire incident was *The Scientific Method*, in accordance with the requirements of NFPA 1033, *Standard for Professional Qualifications for Fire Investigator*, and the principles of NFPA 921, *Guide for Fire and Explosion Investigations*.

Conclusions

Based upon the joint evidence examinations, discovery documents, depositions, NREL/NASA documentation, expert reports, reference material, UL Certification and Standards, ANSI Standards, and IEC Standards, electrical engineering knowledge, training, education, and experience within a reasonable degree of engineering certainty:



- It is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject hoverboard, found in the area of origin identified by M.J. Schulz & Associates, was not the cause of the fire.
- It is the opinion of S-E-A that the Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard was designed, functioned, and operated in accordance with all applicable standards, and that all battery cells adhered to the IEC 62133-2 testing and standards.
- It is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard contained 18650 lithium-ion battery cells associated with the battery pack, manufactured by Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd., were designed, functioned, and operated in accordance with all applicable standards, and that this incident was not caused by an internal short circuit that would have resulted in a thermal runaway failure within any of the recovered subject battery cells.
- It is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject 18650 lithium-ion battery cells identified by BEAR, as Cell 4 and Cell 10, do not have enough energy to cause this fire as the Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard was not plugged in at the time of the incident, which invalidates the BEAR opinion that an internal short circuit in batteries Cell 4 and Cell 10 caused this fire.
- It is the opinion of S-E-A that manufacturers of products, such as Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd., have and continue to utilize the UL and IEC testing shown in the results of those respective test reports as its tool to be a practical FMEA as it addresses all known and potential failure modes outlined in the UL, IEC, and other applicable standards that are utilized by other lithium-ion battery manufacturers. It is further the opinion of S-E-A that the CPSC Safety Alert was not related to the subject Jetson Model Plasma and is therefore not pertinent to the investigation of the Wadsworth fire.



Signatures

S-E-A and the undersigned hereby certify that the opinions and conclusions expressed herein are based upon the application of reliable principles and scientific methodologies to all of the facts known by S-E-A and the undersigned when this report was issued, as well as knowledge, skill, experience, training and/or education. Should additional information be discovered, S-E-A and the undersigned reserve the right to appropriately amend or augment these findings.

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II. Procedures

- 1. On October 30, 2024 and October 31, 2024, a joint evidence examination was conducted at the Palmer Engineering and Forensic (Palmer Engineering) facility located in North Salt Lake, Utah by S-E-A Senior Electrical Engineer Samuel G. Sudler III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, C.F.E.I. on behalf of Jetson and Walmart, as well as interested parties, at which time the following investigative tasks were performed:
 - The remains of all of the artifacts collected form the Wadsworth fire as well as the remains of the subject hoverboard and its associated lithium-ion battery cells from the subject hoverboard were documented in the form of photographs, diagrams, and notes.
 - Radiograph (X-Ray) images of the various artifacts were taken and distributed to all interested parties.
- 2. On February 29, 2024, a joint evidence exam was conducted at the Berkeley Engineering and Research (BEAR) facility located in Berkeley, California by S-E-A Senior Electrical Engineer Samuel G. Sudler III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, C.F.E.I. on behalf of Jetson and Walmart, as well as Derek King, P.E. of BEAR on behalf of the Wadsworth family, at which time the following investigative tasks were performed:
 - The subject hoverboard as well as the lithium-ion batteries from the subject hoverboard were examined in detail and were documented in the form of photographs, diagrams, and notes.
- 3. Prior to the issuance of this report, various materials were researched, obtained, and/or reviewed, including but not limited to the following:
 - Discovery materials provided by McCoy Leavitt Laskey, LLC;
 - Report by Derek King, P.E. from BEAR dated July 12, 2024;
 - Report by Michael J. Schulz of M.J. Schulz & Associates, dated July 15, 2024;
 - Computed Tomography (CT) Scan Data was obtained and reviewed.
 - Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. (UL) Certification No. BBCV2.MH19896 for LG Energy Solution, LTD using the basic standard UL 1642;
 - UL 1642 Safety Standard for "Lithium Batteries;"
 - UL 2054 Safety Standard for "Household and Commercial Batteries;"
 - UL 2272 Safety Standard for "Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices;"



- UL 2580 Safety Standard for "Batteries for Use in Electric Vehicles;"
- IEC 62133-2 Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline and other non-acid electrolytes Safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells, and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications Part 2: Lithium Systems
- National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 921, "Guide for Fire and Explosion Investigations," 2014 and 2017 Editions;
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) 1584[™]-2002 IEEE Guide for Performing Arc Flash Hazard Calculations;
- Fundamental Engineering Reference Handbook by NCEES;
- Fundamentals of Thermodynamics, by Claus Borgnakke and Richard E. Sonntag;
- Heat Transfer: A Practical Approach, by Yunus A. Cengel;
- Kirk's Fire Investigation, Sixth Edition, by John D. DeHaan;
- Ignition Handbook, by Vytenis Babraukas;
- National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards, by the Department of Health and Human Services – Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC);
- CRC Handbook of Chemistry and Physics, Editor-In-Chief David R. Lide, 91st Edition;
- Handbook of Batteries, Third Edition, by David Linden and Thomas B. Reddy;
- Battery Technology Handbook, Second Edition, Edited by H.A. Kiehne;
- Lithium-ion Batteries Fundamentals and Applications, Edited by Yuping Wu;
- Lithium-Ion Batteries Hazard and Use Assessment (Springer Briefs in Fire), Celina
 Mikolajczak, Michael Kahn, Kevin White and Richard Thomas Long;
- "Safe Lithium-Ion Battery Designs for Use, Transportation and Second Use," by Judy Jeevarajan, Ph.D.;
- National Aeronautical and Space Administration (NASA) Engineering and Safety Center Technical Bulletin No. 09-02, "Limitations of Internal Protective Devices in High-Voltage/High-Capacity Batteries Using Lithium-Ion Cylindrical Commercial Cells;"
- Lithium-ion Rechargeable Batteries -Technical Handbook by Sony Electronics;
- "Safety mechanisms in lithium-ion batteries," by P.G. Balakrishnan, R. Ramesh, T. Prem
 Kumar in Journal of Power Sources, 155 (2006) 401-414;



- "Thermal runaway caused fire and explosion of lithium-ion battery," by Qingsong Wang, Ping Ping, Xuejuan Zhao, Guanquan Chu, Jinhua Sun, Chunhua Chen in Journal of Power Sources, 208 (2012) 210-224;
- "Arc analysis to the CID of Li-Ion battery cells in high-current applications," by A. Augeard, T. Singo, P. Desprez, F. Perisse, S. Menecier and M. Abbaoui, at 2014 IEEE 60th Holm Conference on Electrical Contacts (Holm), New Orleans, LA, 2014, pp. 1-7;
- "Less Fire, More Power: The Secret to Safer Lithium-Ion Batteries," Weiyang Li and Yi Cui, in IEEE Spectrum, August 23, 2018;
- "Review of Specific Heat Capacity Determination of Lithium-Ion Battery," Yu Tang, Tao Li, and Ximing Cheng, at 10th International Conference on Applied Energy (ICAE2018), 22-25 August 20198, Ong Long, China;
- "Thermal Impedance Spectroscopy for Li-Ion Batteries with an IR Temperature Sensor System,"Peter Keil, Katharina Rumpf and Andreas Jossen, 27th Annual Electric Vehicle Symposium, November 17-20, 2013, Barcelona, Spain;
- "Thermal Properties of Lithium-Ion Battery Components," Hossein Maleki, Said Al Hallaj, J. Robert Selman, Ralph B. Dinwiddie and H. Wang, Journal of The Electrochemical Society, 146(3) 947-954 (1999);
- William J. Meese and Robert W. Beausoliel, "Exploratory Study of Glowing Electrical Connections" National Bureau of Standards (NBS) Building Science Series 103, October 1977; and
- Bruce V. Ettling, "Glowing Connections" Fire Technology 18, No. 4 (1982): 344-349.

S-E-A may rely on the materials listed above and referenced in this report to support the opinions expressed at trial.



III. Discussion

Background

The Sheriff's Department incident report notates a fire at the Residence that left one adult female and one small child with burn injuries. A passer-byer, Ryan Pasborg was able to retrieve the woman and 4 children from the residence while waiting for the arrival of an EMT. Upon arrival, Deputy Sheriff (DS) John Hansen, the responding officer, observed the property engulfed in flames with heavy smoke that prevented him from viewing the interior of the home. DS Hansen then walked around the perimeter of the home and observed a power line that was detached from the home but connected to the power pole. He further observed the electricity breaker to shut off power to the residence was in the engulfed area of fire. Subsequently, the Green River Fire Department was contacted and arrived on the scene to extinguish the fire and noted the "cause of ignition" to be an alleged failure of equipment or heat source.

Joint Laboratory Examinations

Joint laboratory examinations of the retained artifacts were conducted on October 30, 2024 and October 31, 2024 at the Palmer Engineering facility located in North Salt Lake, Utah and on February 29, 2024 at the BEAR facility located in Berkeley, California by S-E-A Senior Project Engineer Samuel G. Sudler, III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, F.NSPE, C.F.E.I., on behalf of Jetson and Walmart, as well as other interested parties. The artifacts were previously examined by all interested parties prior to S-E-A's involvement. Consequently, Palmer Engineering shared their radiographs (X-Rays) with S-E-A to assist with collecting pertinent data. The examinations were conducted to determine if any of the artifacts exhibited evidence of a failure capable of causing the fire at the Wadsworth property.

All of the artifacts (as shown in **Figure 1**) were examined in detail during the joint laboratory examinations. While all the items were examined, items of particular interest in the area of fire origin determined by M.J. Schultz & Associates, as seen in **Figure 2**, were as follows:

- The remains of the two cylindrical 18650 battery cells
- The remains of the subject hoverboard and its associated 18650 battery cells





Figure 1: Artifacts recovered from the Wadsworth residential fire.



Figure 2: Remains of the subject hoverboard and its associated battery cells.



Examination of the remains of the two cylindrical 18650 battery cells revealed the battery cells were given designations battery 1 and battery 2, respectively. These battery cells were found next to the subject hoverboard and did not exhibit evidence of an electrical malfunction or failure, in the form of a bulged steel encasement nor evidence of arcing and shorting in the form of melting of the steel encasement can, as shown in Figure 3 through Figure 8.

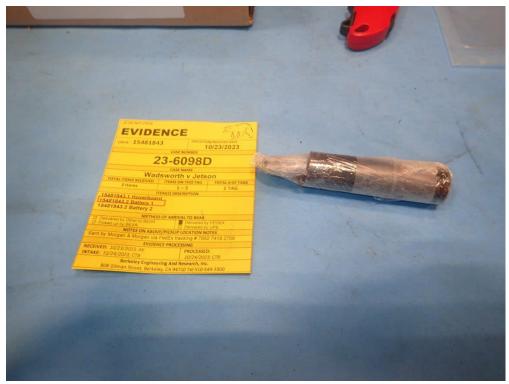


Figure 3: Remains of 18650 battery cell designated battery 1.





Figure 4: Side view of 18650 battery cell designated battery 1.



Figure 5: Top view of 18650 battery cell designated battery 1.



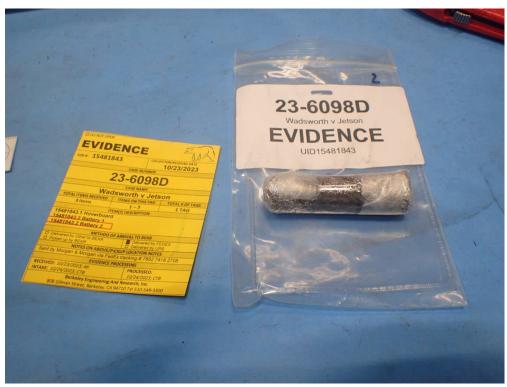


Figure 6: Remains of 18650 battery cell designated battery 1.



Figure 7: Side view of 18650 battery cell designated battery 2.



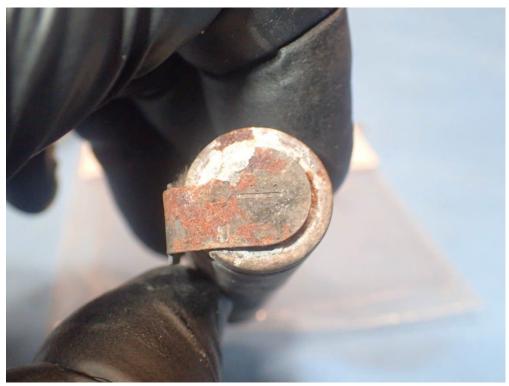


Figure 8: Top view of 18650 battery cell designated battery 2.

Examination of the artifacts continued with the remains of the subject hoverboard. The hoverboard sustained heat damage from the exterior, as opposed to the interior, because the melted casing for the interior of the hoverboard was not melted and the batteries and circuitry for the hoverboards were heat damaged but did not show evidence of bulging or melting, as shown in Figure 9 and Figure 12. It is important to note that the carpeting, wiring insulation as well as the green plastic encasement were still intact. Examination of the hoverboard revealed that the main motor board and the two balancing boards were intact and exhibited no signs of electrical arcing and shorting in the form of melted copper as seen in Figure 13 and Figure 14. Close examination of these X-Ray images revealed that the soldered electronic components of the hoverboard control system were not melted and remain intact. It is important to note that solder melts at 361°F and aluminum melts at 1,200°F, so if the fire started in the interior of the hoverboard the solder would have melted, but it did not. Therefore, it is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject hoverboard, found in the area of origin identified by M.J. Schulz & Associates, was not the cause of the fire.





Figure 9: Top view of the subject Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard with undamaged wiring (Green Arrow)



Figure 10: Closeup view of the undamaged wiring.





Figure 11: Underside of the subject Jetson Model Plasma showing the undamaged carpet.



Figure 12: Underside of the subject Jetson hoverboard showing the paper tag, tread on the tires as well as the green plastic cover.



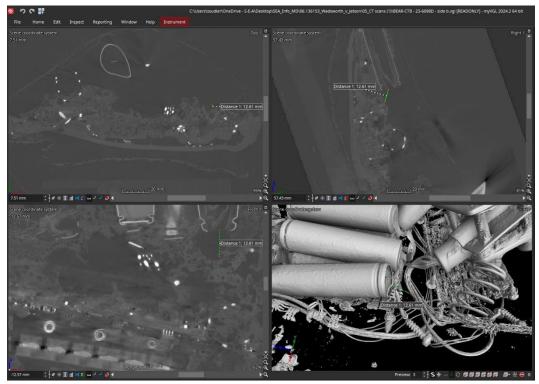


Figure 13: CT scan of the battery cells as well as the circuit boards with no melted solder.

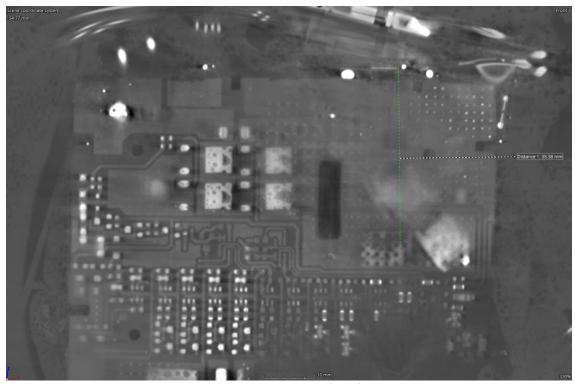


Figure 14: Closeup of the battery management system (BMS) for the subject Jetson hoverboard.



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IV. Research and Investigation

UL 2272 Safety Standard for Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices

Underwriters Laboratories (UL) is an independent product safety certification organization that has been testing products and writing standards for safety since 1894. UL evaluates more than 19,000 types of products, components, materials, and systems annually with 20 billion UL Marks appearing on 66,000 manufacturers' products each year. UL's worldwide family of companies and network of service providers includes 68 laboratories, testing, and certification facilities serving customers in 102 countries.

Based on information obtained from the discovery material provided by McCoy Leavitt Laskey, LLC, the subject Jetson Model Plasma, as well as its electrical components are listed under Certification No. E48641, including the battery cells manufactured by Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. This indicates that the UL 2272 Safety Standard for "Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices" (UL 2272) is the standard to be used to investigate this particular product. UL 2272 covers the electrical drive train system including the battery system, other circuitry and electrical components for electric powered scooters and other devices to be referred to as personal e-mobility devices. Review of UL 2272 revealed that the lithium battery cells are subjected to a series of performance tests, as well as the battery cells being tested to the IEC 62133-2 standard, as seen in Figure 15. The performance tests are designed to subject the battery cells to mistreatment that they would be exposed to during normal use of the product. This testing is to ensure that there will not be a failure of the battery cells that could potentially cause a fire or injury. The performance tests include, but are not limited to the following:

- Overcharge Test
- **Short-Circuit Test**
- Over discharge Test
- **Imbalanced Charging Test**
- **Crush Test**
- **Temperature Test**



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UL 1998, Software in Programmable Components

UL 2054, Household and Commercial Batteries

UL 2251, Plugs, Receptacles, and Couplers for Electric Vehicles

UL/ULC 2271, Batteries for Use In Light Electric Vehicle (LEV) Applications

UL/ULC 2580, Batteries for Use in Electric Vehicles

UL 2849, Electrical Systems for eBikes

UL 60730-1, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use - Part 1: General Requirements

UL 60950-1, Information Technology Equipment - Safety - Part 1: General Requirements

UL 62133-1, Secondary Cells and Batteries Containing Alkaline or Other Non-Acid Electrolytes - Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells, and for Batteries Made from Them, for Use in Portable Applications - Part 1: Nickel Systems

UL 62133-2, Secondary Cells and Batteries Containing Alkaline or Other Non-Acid Electrolytes - Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells, and for Batteries Made from Them, for Use in Portable Applications - Part 2: Lithium Systems

UL 62368-1, Audio/Video, Information and Communication Technology Equipment - Part 1: Safety Requirements

- 6 Glossary
- 6.1 For the purpose of this Standard the following definitions apply.
- 6.2 BATTERY A generic term for one or more cells electrically connected in series and/or parallel with or without monitoring and protection circuitry for charging and discharging.
- 6.3 BATTERY PACK Batteries that are ready for use in a personal e-mobility device, contained in a protective enclosure, with protective devices, with a battery management system, and monitoring circuitry and that may be removable by the user for charging separately from the device.
- 6.4 BATTERY SYSTEM Battery system includes the battery, charger and monitoring and protection circuit for charging and discharging of the battery.
- 6.5 CAPACITY, RATED The total number of ampere-hours that can be withdrawn from a fully charged battery at a specific discharge rate to a specific end-of-discharge voltage (EODV) at a specified temperature as declared by the manufacturer.
- 6.6 CASING The container that directly encloses and confines the electrolyte, and electrodes of a cell.
- 6.7 CELL The basic functional electrochemical unit (sometimes referred to as a battery) containing an electrode assembly, electrolyte, separators, casing, and terminals. It is a source of electrical energy by direct conversion of chemical energy.

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Figure 15: UL 2272 standard outlining the IEC 62133-2 testing the battery cells are subjected to for the Jetson hoverboard.

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CSDS for Once the lithium-ion battery cells meet the requirements of these and other tests, as shown in **Figure 16**, UL certifies the product. Therefore, for the lithium-ion battery cells to become damaged, as shown previously in Figure 4 through Figure 9, the cells must be subjected to abuse and misuse beyond the aforementioned testing, which includes being attacked by an external fire.

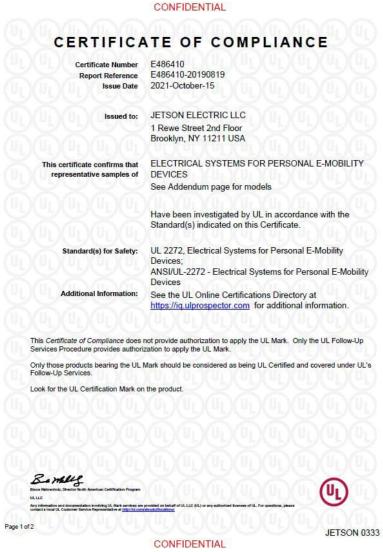


Figure 16: UL Certificate of Completion and Authorization to Apply UL Mark.

Therefore, it is the opinion of S-E-A that the Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard was designed, functioned, and operated in accordance with all applicable standards, and that all battery cells adhered to the IEC 62133-2 testing and standards.



International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) 62133 - 2 - Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells - Part 2: Lithium Systems - Internal Short Circuit Test

Based on research on the IEC website, it shows that the Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. battery cells conformed to the IEC 62133-2 Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells - Part 2: Lithium Systems. Review of this standard shows it is similar to the UL 1642 Standard for Lithium Batteries except that the IEC 62133-2 subjected the battery cell to an additional test - Design Evaluation - Forced internal short circuits in Section 7.3.9. The purpose of this particular test, and design evaluation, is to address any unlikely but potential manufacturing concerns with potential conductive material getting into the electrolytic roll, or if there is a concern with the separator used by the battery cell manufacturer for the electrolytic roll. This test first involves putting a piece of nickel inside of the cylindrical cell, as shown in **Figure 17** and then putting it back together.



Figure 17: IEC internal short circuit test for a cylindrical cell.



The cell is then pressed using the test shown in Figure 18, by connecting a voltage and monitoring it for a 50-mV drop in voltage while pressing it with 800N of pressure for 30 seconds. The outcome of the test must not result in fire. Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. has been testing its cells, both cylindrical and prismatic, since 2018 and passed the test that resulted in its IEC certification, as seen in Figure 19.

ii) Internal short-circuit

- A Confirm that the winding core surface temperature is as defined in Table 5, and then start the test.
- B The bottom surface of the moving part of the press equipment (i.e. pressing jig) is made of nitrile rubber or acrylic resin, which is put on the 10 mm × 10 mm stainless steel shaft. Details of the pressing jigs are shown in Figure 2. The nitrile rubber bottom surface is for a cylindrical cell test. For a prismatic cell test, 5 mm × 5 mm (2 mm thickness) acrylic resin is put on the nitrile rubber.

The fixture is moved down at a speed of 0,1 mm/s, monitoring the cell voltage. When a voltage drop caused by the internal short-circuit is detected, stop the descent immediately and keep the pressing jig in the position for 30 s, and then release the pressure. The voltage is monitored at a rate of more than 100 times per second. If the voltage drops more than 50 mV compared to the initial voltage, an internal short-circuit has been determined to have occurred. If the force of the press reaches 800 N for a cylindrical cell or 400 N for a prismatic cell before the 50 mV voltage drop, stop the descent immediately .

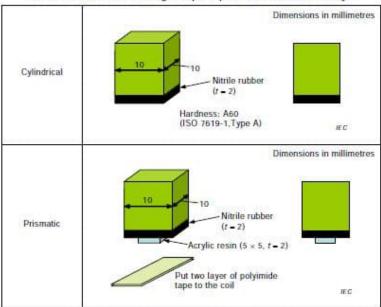


Figure 2 - Jig for pressing

c) Acceptance criteria

No fire. Record the force when an internal short-circuit occurs if there was no fire.

Figure 18: Second part of the IEC internal short circuit test.



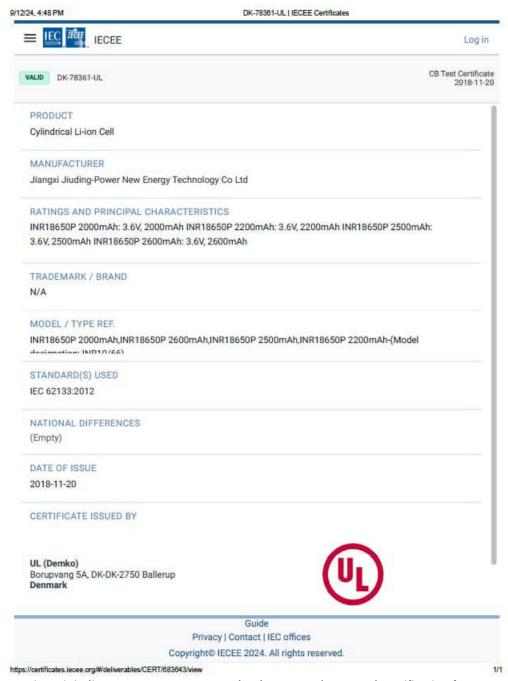


Figure 19: Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. Test and Certification for IEC 62133-2.

It has been purported by BEAR that the subject cells, identified as Cell 4 and Cell 10 in this matter, sustained a manufacturing defect that could result in an internal short circuit at approximately the same time that resulted in a failure that could cause a fire.



If there was an internal short circuit it would take time to develop, allowing the current interrupting device (CID) to activate and prevent any issue that could lead to a fire. For there to be an issue it must be an external short circuit capable of generating a current faster than the CID is able to respond to in time. However, because this is a closed loop electrical system, as seen in **Figure 20**, and the configuration of the battery pack does not allow an external short circuit to occur, as seen in **Figure 21**, the only way for the cells to sustain this type of damage is from an external thermal event such as a fire.

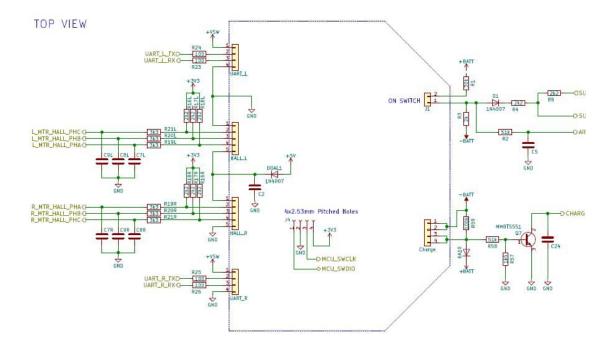


Figure 20: Closed loop electrical system for hoverboard.



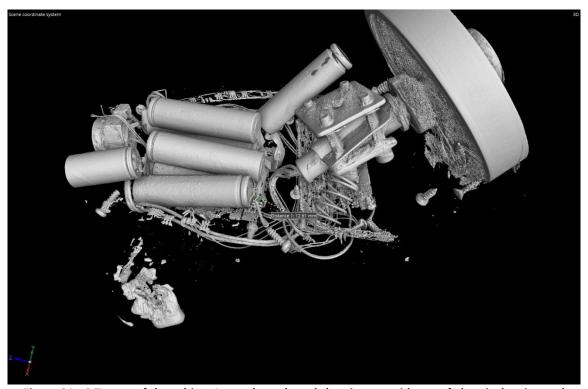


Figure 21: C.T. scan of the subject Jetson hoverboard showing no evidence of electrical arcing and shorting on wiring.

Evaluation of the photographs from an exemplar Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard revealed that the electronic circuit boards as well as the battery pack were protected by a plastic enclosure. Close examination of the exemplar hoverboard also revealed that the battery cells were almost in contact with the balancing circuit board and the aluminum housing. According to NFPA 921, Aluminum melts at 1,220°F while identifiable temperatures in structural fires can reach temperatures of 1,900°F, as seen in Figure 22. It is important to note that physical examination and a review of the X-Rays associated with the balancing board revealed none of the electrical conductors, which melts at 1,981°F, exhibited visible evidence of electrical arcing and shorting in the form of melted copper, which would have occurred had the battery cells been the cause of this fire.



Table 6.2.8.2 Approximate Melting Temperatures of Common Materials

| | Melting Temperatures | | |
|---|----------------------|-----------|--|
| Material | °C | °F | |
| Aluminum (alloys) ^a | 566-650 | 1050-1200 | |
| Aluminumb | 660 | 1220 | |
| Brass (red) ^a | 996 | 1825 | |
| Brass (yellow)a | 932 | 1710 | |
| Bronze (aluminum) ^a | 982 | 1800 | |
| Cast iron (gray) ^b | 1350-1400 | 2460-2550 | |
| Cast iron (white)b | 1050-1100 | 1920-2010 | |
| Chromium ^b | 1845 | 3350 | |
| Copper ^b | 1082 | 1981 | |
| Fire brick (insulating) ^b | 1638-1650 | 2980-3000 | |
| Glass ^b | 593-1427 | 1100-2600 | |
| Goldb | 1063 | 1945 | |
| Iron ^b | 1540 | 2802 | |
| Leadb | 327 | 621 | |
| Magnesium (AZ31B alloy) ^a | 627 | 1160 | |
| Nickel ^b | 1455 | 2651 | |
| Paraffin ^b | 54 | 129 | |
| Plastics (thermo) | | | |
| ABSd | 88-125 | 190-257 | |
| Acrylic ^d | 90-105 | 194-221 | |
| Nylond | 176-265 | 349-509 | |
| Polyethylene ^d | 122-135 | 251-275 | |
| Polystyrene ^d | 120-160 | 248-320 | |
| Polyvinylchloride ^d | 75-105 | 167-221 | |
| Platinum ⁶ | 1773 | 3224 | |
| Porcelain ^b | 1550 | 2820 | |
| Pot metal ^e | 300-400 | 562-752 | |
| Quartz (SiO ₂) ^b | 1682-1700 | 3060-3090 | |
| Silver ^b | 960 | 1760 | |
| Solder (63Sn/37Pb) ^f | 183 | 361 | |
| Steel (carbon) ^a | 1516 | 2760 | |
| Steel (stainless) ^a | 1427 | 2600 | |
| Tin ^b | 232 | 449 | |
| Wax (paraffin) ^c | 49-75 | 120-167 | |
| White pot metal ^e | 300-400 | 562-752 | |
| Zincb | 375 | 707 | |

^{*}From Lide, ed., Handbook of Chemistry and Physics.

*From Baumeister, Avallone, and Baumeister III, Mark's Standard
Handbook for Mechanical Engineers.

*From NFPA Fire Protection Guide to Hazardous Materials.

*From McGraw-Hill, Plastics Handbook.

*From Geck and Gleck, Engineering Formulas.

*From Smithells Metals Reference Book, 7th edition, ButterworthHeinemann.

Figure 22: Melting temperatures of various metals and other items.

Therefore, it is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard contained 18650 lithium-ion battery cells associated with the battery pack, manufactured by Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd., were designed, functioned, and operated in accordance with all applicable standards, and that this incident was not caused by an internal short circuit that would have resulted in a thermal runaway failure within any of the recovered subject battery cells.

Review and Evaluation of Berkeley Engineering and Research (BEAR) Report related to the Subject Fire using the Scientific Method

After reviewing the BEAR Report authored by Derek King, P.E. dated July 12, 2024, S-E-A again utilized the Scientific Method outlined in National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 921, "Guide for Fire and Explosion Investigations" to evaluate the opinions proffered by ETP in their report, which are as follows:



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- BEAR Opinion 2 & BEAR Opinion 3- Inspection and analysis of the subject board and cells indicates the ruptured cells were more likely caused by an internal short rather than external heating. Internal cell shorting can result in cell fires which is consistent with other expert findings of the fire origin at the subject board location.
- BEAR Opinion 1 and BEAR Opinion 4 Careful and prudent manufacturers and distributors of consumer products should perform competent FMEAs or similar risk assessments to eliminate potential dangers associated with their products. It appears unlikely that Jetson performed a competent risk assessment for their subject hover board. The subject incident corresponds to the CPSC Safety Alert regarding the risk of hoverboard fires and leaving the board on the charger for extended periods of time.

The aforementioned hypothesis, or opinion, associated with the cause of this alleged battery fire incident will be evaluated using the Scientific Method, as suggested by the flow chart in NFPA 921 (Figure 23), utilizing all known and pertinent facts related to this matter, which include discovery documentation, deposition testimony, and joint evidence examinations of retained artifacts, without examining the actual subject incident battery cell.



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Figure 23: NFPA 921-199, shown as Figure 19.2.

Adhering to the Scientific Method is a safeguard against two common issues that can lead to erroneous opinions, and those issues, as defined in NFPA 921, are as follows:

- Confirmation Bias Different hypothesis may be compatible with the same data. When using the scientific method, testing of hypothesis should be designed to disprove a hypothesis (i.e., falsification of the hypothesis), rather than relying only on confirming data that support the hypothesis. Confirmation bias occurs when the investigator relies exclusively on data that supports the hypothesis and fails to look for, ignores, or dismisses contradictory or nonsupporting data. The same data may support alternative and even opposing hypotheses. The failure to consider alternative or opposing hypotheses, or prematurely discounting seemingly contradictory data without appropriate analysis and testing can result in incorrect conclusions.
- Expectation Bias Expectation bias is a well-established phenomenon that occurs in scientific analysis when investigator(s) reach a premature conclusion without having



examined or considered all of the relevant data. Instead of collecting and examining all of the data in a logical and unbiased manner to reach a scientifically reliable conclusion, the investigator(s) uses the premature determination to dictate investigative processes, analyses, and, ultimately, conclusions, in a way that is not scientifically valid. The introduction of expectation bias into the investigation results in the use of only data that supports this previously formed conclusion and often results in the misrepresentation and/or the discarding of data that does not support the original opinion.

BEAR Opinion 2 & BEAR Opinion 3— Regarding the subject hover board and the cells having an internal short capable of causing this fire as opposed to an external fire attacking the unit.

These opinions proffered by BEAR suggests that the fire at the Wadsworth residence was caused by an internal failure of Cell 4 and Cell 10. It is important to note that Cell 4 and Cell 10 were recovered with the cell casings still attached to the subject hoverboard and adjacent to the circuit boards for the subject hoverboard. In addition, the battery cell for Cell 4 and Cell 10 are rated at 3.7-VDC, 2.5Ah, and has a power rating of 9.0Wh. Close examination of the C.T. scan data of the subject Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard revealed that it was not plugged in at the time of the fire as nothing is attached to the power port as shown in Figure 24 and Figure 25. Therefore, the maximum power for Cell 4 and Cell 10 is 9.0Wh for each cell. According to Heat Transfer: A Practical Guide the amount of heat transfer is equal to Q=mCΔT, where mass is in kilograms and the specific heat for an 18650 lithium-ion battery cell is approximately 900 J/kg°C with Q being 9.0Wh and the mass being 0.044kg. Knowing the internal resistance of the battery cell is typically $50m\Omega$ and P= 9.0Wh, current (I) one can calculate the battery fault current from P=I²R with I fault =V(P/R), which is 13.42-Ampers. With the discharge rate of 2.5Ah the fault current can be sustained for 11.18 minutes. Therefore, with Q=9.0WH or 32,400 Watts in one second, it would take at least 10 seconds to catch paper on fire. Paper ignites at approximately 220°C, according to the *Ignition Handbook*. Therefore, the amount of power would be 3,240-Watts. Utilizing the Heat Transfer formula Tf = (Q/mC) + 25°C, which give a temperature of 106.81°C. It is important to note that this temperature is less than the temperature that was achieved by the multiple internal short circuit (ISC) tests conducted by the NREL/NASA testing as shown in Figure 26 and Figure 27. This is important because according to NFPA 921, there needs to be at least 30-Watts of power to create a fire.



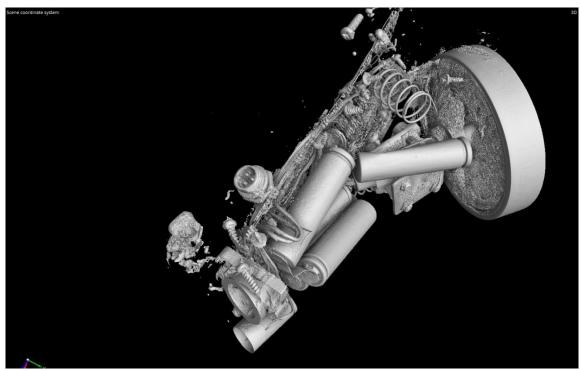


Figure 24: C.T. scan of the subject Jetson hoverboard showing the power port connector.



Figure 25: C.T. scan of the subject Jetson hoverboard showing the closeup of power port connector.

ISC Implantation – Active to Active



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Figure 26: Image from NREL/NASA test setup for ISC testing.

2nd Round - Foil to Foil ISC Activation

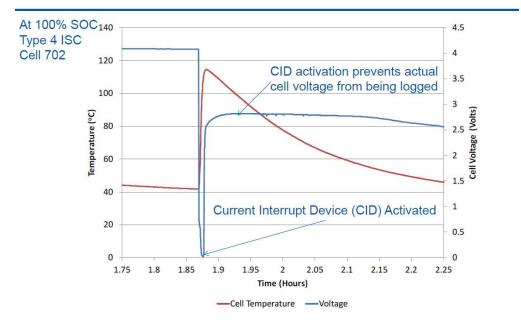


Figure 27: Image of results from NREL/NASA test setup for a Lithium-Ion 18650 battery.

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Therefore, the battery only having had 9.0-Watts of power is not enough energy to cause the subject fire, as seen in Figure 28 through Figure 30.

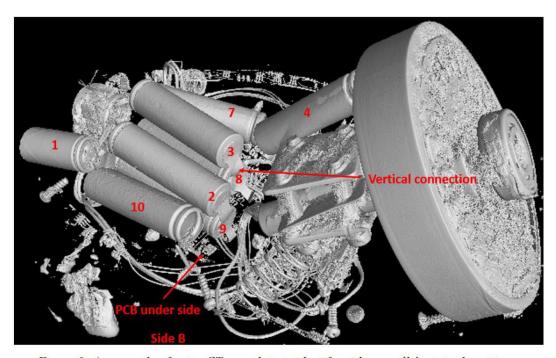


Figure 9: An example of using CT scan data to identify evidence cells' original positions. Figure 28: Image from the BEAR report dated July 12, 2024 showing battery cell identifiers.

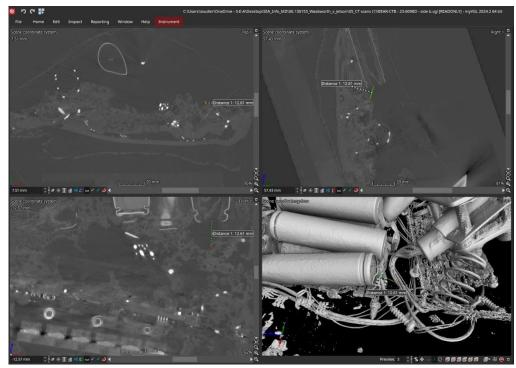


Figure 29: C.T. scan showing distance from Cell 10 from energized cables.





Figure 30: Remains of subject Jetson hoverboard showing distance from Battery cell 10 (Red Arrow) to the colored insulated wiring.

Therefore, it is the opinion of S-E-A that the subject 18650 lithium-ion battery cells identified by BEAR, as Cell 4 and Cell 10, do not have enough energy to cause this fire as the Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard was not plugged in at the time of the incident, which invalidates the BEAR opinion that an internal short circuit in batteries Cell 4 and Cell 10 caused this fire.

BEAR Opinion 1 and BEAR Opinion 4 – Regarding Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA) and the Consumer Product Safety Commission Safety Alert Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA) is a tool used by various industries to determine what failure modes exist in a process, product, or design, and based on the FMEA there are improvements that had to be made to ensure a safe product is manufactured. Mr. Sudler utilized this tool, amongst others, as a Certified Lean Six Sigma Back Belt ensuring that the principles of Measure, Analyze, Improve and Control (MAIC) were adhered to during the process. The result of such a process can be found in the failure modes listed in UL 1642, shown in the UL - Lithium-ion Batteries Hazards diagram (Figure 31), and IEC 62133 standards that Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. adhered to as expressed with their certification previously shown in Figure 12.



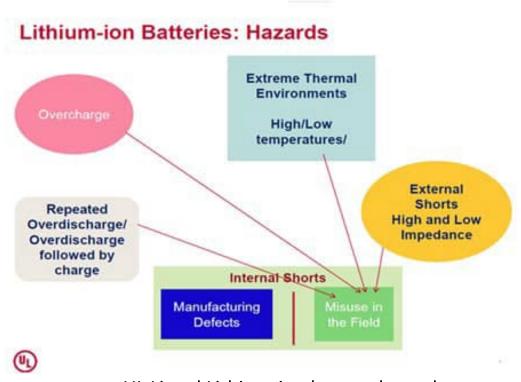


Figure 31: UL Listed Lithium-ion battery hazards

The potential Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd. failures outlined in the Berkeley Engineering and Research (BEAR) report dated July 12, 2024, are addressed by and confirmed by their UL and IEC actual testing and certifications. In addition, UL 2272 Safety Standard for Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices reveals that the Jetson Model Plasma hoverboard was tested and certified while utilizing various FMEA standards, as shown in Figure 32. Review and evaluation of the CPSC Safety Alert mentioned in the BEAR report indicate it was released before the creation of UL 2272 that occurred November 1, 2016, which the Jetson Model Plasma was tested and certified to by UL. The CPSC Safety Alert is not relevant to analysis of the Wadsworth residential fire.



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ANSI/CAN/UL 2272

UL 1642, Lithium Batteries

UL 1989, Valve Regulated or Vented Batteries with Aqueous Electrolytes

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Figure 32: UL 2272 standard outlining the FMEA standards used to consider testing the battery cells that are subjected to for the Jetson hoverboard.



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UL 969, Marking and Labeling Systems

UL 1004-2, Impedance Protected Motors

UL 1004-3, Thermally Protected Motors

UL 1004-7, Electronically Protected Motors

UL 1012. Power Units other than Class 2

UL 1310, Class 2 Power Units

UL 1004-1, Rotating Electrical Machines - General Requirements

Therefore, it is the opinion of S-E-A that manufacturers of products, such as Jiangxi Jiuding Power New Energy Technology Co. Ltd., have and continue to utilize the UL and IEC testing shown in the results of those respective test reports as its tool to be a practical FMEA as it addresses all known and potential failure modes outlined in the UL, IEC, and other applicable standards that are utilized by other lithium-ion battery manufacturers. It is further the opinion of S-E-A that the CPSC Safety Alert was not related to the subject Jetson Model Plasma and is therefore not pertinent to the investigation of the Wadsworth fire.



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Appendices

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- 2. Samuel G. Sudler III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, F.NSPE, C.F.E.I. Testimony Log
- 3. Samuel G. Sudler III, P.E., IntPE, DFE, F.NSPE, C.F.E.I. Billable Rate Disclosure

List of Referenced Material

- 1. American National Standards Institute (ANSI)/National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 70E – Standard for Electrical Safety Requirements for Employee Workplaces, 2015 Edition
- 2. UL 1642 Safety Standard for "Lithium Batteries"
- 3. UL 2054 Safety Standard for "Household and Commercial Batteries"
- 4. IEC 62133-2 Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline and other non-acid electrolytes - Safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells, and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications - Part 2: Lithium Systems
- 5. International Classification Standard (ICS) 29.220.01 National Standard of the People's Republic of China – GB/T 18287-2000 – General specification of lithium-ion battery for cellular phone
- 6. ICS 29.220.01 National Standard of the People's Republic of China GB/T 18287-2013 General specification of lithium-ion cells and batteries for mobile phone.
- 7. Universal Serial Bus (USB) Specification, Revision 2.0, April 27, 2000
- 8. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 921, "Guide for Fire and Explosion Investigations," 2014 and 2017 Editions



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Experience

Senior Electrical Engineer *SEA*, *Ltd*.

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Investigate electrical faults and malfunctions, particularly those suspected of causing a fire, equipment damage, or electrocution. Reconstruct accidents to determine the mode, sequence, and/or component of failure resulting in the damage to equipment or injury to individuals. Analyze various types of electrical power equipment (i.e., transformers, circuit breakers, power lines, commercial and residential electrical systems, etc.) and appliances on-site and/or in the laboratory to determine the cause or result of an incident (i.e., fire, equipment damage, or personal injury). Conduct tests to determine the reliability of products.

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Pilkington N.A., Inc.

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Responsible for reviewing main areas of loss in the wareroom process, and through the use of Six Sigma Measure, Analyze, Improve, and Check (MAIC) process, identify and implement changes to reduce areas of lost production. Installed and commissioned Focus Automation Glass digital camera inspection systems, which were programmed to automatically identify and reject defective glass, based on dimensional and cutting quality specifications. Conducted potential Failure Mode and Effect Analysis (FMEA) for all electrical equipment and control systems of the wareroom. Database Administrator (DBA) responsible for designing efficient queries, making database design changes, designing database maintenance routines, maintaining existing and designing new database loading programs for all production databases.

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Created various C programs for all production databases. Visual Basic (VB) applications and modified VB Human Machine Interface (HMI) programs to generate statistical process control (SPC) limit alarms that improved the manufacturing efficiency, improved quality, and reduced time to produce customer orders.

Senior Electrical Engineer

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Recommended, purchased, and installed electrical equipment and software to increase reliability and improve system performance. Responsible for maintaining and ensuring the integrity of systems and equipment in the wareroom, which consisted of a Linux computer system, Texas Instruments and Reliance Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC), AC/servo drive control systems, ABB IRB 6000 robot servo control systems and robot programming. Directed the electrical staff in troubleshooting, repairing, or installing electrical equipment. Reviewed maintenance/engineering projects and work orders, oversaw and coordinated maintenance activities to ensure that maintenance resources were effectively utilized to ensure the facility met production targets.

Electrical Maintenance Supervisor

1996 to 1998

Birmingham Steel Corporation

Kankakee, Illinois

Responsible for design, purchase, installation, and maintenance of electrical equipment in the Rolling Mill and Shipping Departments for both the Kankakee and Joliet plants. Audited the Asea Brown Broveri (ABB) control systems for five Birmingham Steel plants for the Executive Vice President. Responsible for electrical maintenance budget, totaling \$500,000. Supervised a team of one technician, one electrical lead man, and eight electricians. Maintained the 24 KV substation that provided power to the Kankakee facility, which consisted of two 5000 KVA transformers, bus bar integrity, and battery backup system for emergency medium-voltage switcher operation. Responsible for installing, maintaining, modifying, and troubleshooting various equipment, such as Human Machine Interfaces (HMI), Siemens/Allen-Bradley/ABB Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) programs, AC/DC/servo drive control systems, and configuration of the vector control AC drives for the 1000 HP motors. Designed, installed, reprogrammed, and commissioned the electrical equipment and control system for Danieli Tying machines at the Joliet facility.

Electrical Engineer 1995 to 1996

Beta Steel Corporation

Portage, Indiana

Served as a member of the commissioning team, making recommendations and decisions concerning the design, operation, and reliability of Melt Shop equipment. Responsible for the installation, commissioning, testing, and maintenance of all electrical equipment installed during the commissioning phase. Electrical equipment consisted of medium voltage switchgear, Siemens and GE PLCs and transformers, and configuring overcurrent and short-circuit thytronic protective devices for motors up to 1750 HP.

Electrical Maintenance Planner

1994 to 1995

Weirton Steel Corporation

Weirton, West Virginia

Engineered electrical projects and made recommendations to either improve, repair, or replace equipment and/or modify the method of operation. Assisted the Senior Electrical Supervisor in identifying and troubleshooting electrical equipment. Supervised the coke and iron preventative maintenance program. Assisted the Manager of Corporate Recruiting and Employee Development in evaluation of potential candidates for employment.

Professional Resume

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Electrical Engineering Co-op Student

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West Penn Power

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Provided assistance to the Engineering Supervisor in an effort to increase knowledge in the field of Electrical Engineering. Improved service reliability by implementing fuse correlation and Radial Distribution Feeder Analyses Program. Increased the power factor of the 138 KV and 12 KV substation transformers by installing capacitors via 12 KV circuits. Updated and developed blueprints from existing circuit prints.

Professional Registration

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State of Arizona, Registration No. 43391

State of California, Registration No. 18451

State of Colorado, License No. PE-39550

State of Connecticut, License No. PEN 0026215

State of Delaware, License No. 13902

District of Columbia, License No. PE905017

State of Florida, License No. 60538

State of Georgia, Registration No. PE029011

State of Idaho, License No. P-18222

State of Illinois, License No. 062055428

State of Indiana, Registration No. PE10302104

State of Iowa, License No. 18739

State of Kansas, License No. 17983

Commonwealth of Kentucky, License No. 25623

State of Louisiana, License No. PE.0031153

State of Maine, License No. 11535

State of Maryland, Registration No. 29419

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, License No. 47729

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State of Minnesota, License No. 42968

State of Mississippi, License No. 18302

State of Missouri, License No. 2003006452

State of Montana, License No. 18325

State of Nebraska, License No. 12368

State of Nevada, License No. 024559

State of New Hampshire, License No. 12347

State of New Mexico, License No. 24266

State of New York, License No. 16-082156

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State of Oklahoma, License No. 29478

State of Oregon, Registration No. 80397PE

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Registration No. PE075136

State of Rhode Island, Registration No. 11013

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State of South Dakota, Registration No. 9454

State of Tennessee, Registration No. 111920

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State of Vermont, License No. 018.0129541
Commonwealth of Virginia, License No. 040441
State of Washington, Registration No. 44330
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Certified Vehicle Fire Investigator (CVFI)

Certified Model Law Engineer (MLE) by National Council of Examiners for Engineers and Surveyors (NCEES)

Certified Lean Six Sigma Black Belt by Six Sigma Qualtec, Inc.

Standards Technical Committees

Member of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI)/Underwriters Laboratories (UL) Technical Committee (TC) 1642, formerly known as Standards Technical Panel (STP) 1642, *Lithium, Household and Commercial Batteries*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1642, Lithium Batteries
- UL 2054, Household and Commercial Batteries
- UL 60086-4, Primary Batteries-Part 4: Safety of Lithium Batteries
- UL 62133, Secondary Cells and Batteries Containing Alkaline or Other Non-Acid Electrolytes Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells, and for Batteries Made From Them, for Use in Portable Applications
- UL 62133-1, Secondary Cells and Batteries Containing Alkaline or Other Non-Acid Electrolytes Safety Requirements for Portable Sealed Secondary Cells, and for Batteries Made From Them, for Use in Portable Applications Part 1: Nickel Systems
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- UL 2271, Standard for Batteries for Use in Light Electric Vehicle (LEV) Applications
- UL 2580, Standard for Batteries for Use in Electric Vehicles

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2202 – *Electric Vehicle Charging System Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 2202, Standard for Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging System Equipment
- UL 2594, Standard for Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 9540 – *Energy Storage Systems and Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 9540, Standard for Energy Storage Systems and Equipment
- UL 9540A, Test Method for Evaluating Thermal Runaway Fire Propagation in Battery Energy Storage Systems

Member of the UL TC 3001 – *Distributed Energy Generation And Storage Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 3001, Standard for Distributed Energy Generation And Storage Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6200 – *Controls For Stationary Engine Driven Assemblies*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 6200, Standard for Controllers for Use in Power Production

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2231 – Personnel Protection Systems For EV Supply Circuits, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 2231-1, Standard for Safety for Personnel Protection Systems for Electric Vehicle (EV) Supply Circuits: General Requirements
- UL 2231-2, Standard for Safety for Personnel Protection Systems for Electric Vehicle (EV) Supply Circuits: Particular Requirements for Protection Devices for Ise in Charging Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1973 – *Batteries Used in Stationary And In Light Electric Rail*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1973, Standard for Batteries for Use in Stationary, Vehicle Auxiliary Power and Light Electric Rail (LER) Applications
- UL 1989, Standard for Stationary Batteries

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 5840 – *Battery Powered Ground Support Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

 UL 5840, Standard for Electrical Systems of Battery Powered Aviation Ground Support Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2591 – *Battery Cell Separators*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 2591, Outline of Investigation for Battery Cell Separators

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Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1012 – *Battery Chargers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1012, Standard for Power Units Other Than Class 2
- UL 1236, Standard for Battery Chargers for Charging Engine-Starter Batteries
- UL 1564, Standard for Industrial Battery Chargers
- UL 60335-2-29, Household and Similar Electrical Appliances, Part 2-29: Particular Requirements for Battery Chargers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 110 – *Mobile Phones*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 110, Standard for Sustainability for Mobile Phones

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2272 – *Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 2272, Standard for Electrical Systems for Personal E-Mobility Devices

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2056 – *Power Banks*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 2056, Outline of Investigation for Safety of Power Banks

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2849 – *Electrical Systems for EBikes*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 2849, Standard for Electrical Systems for EBikes

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 82 – *Electric Gardening Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 82, Standard for Electric Gardening Appliances
- UL 1090, Standard for Electric Snow Movers
- UL 1447, Standard for Electric Lawn Mowers
- UL 1602, Standard for Gasoline-Engine-Powered, Rigid-Cutting-Member Edgers and Edger: Trimmers
- UL 60745-2-15, Hand-Held -Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-15: Particular Requirements for Hedge Trimmers
- UL 62841-4-1, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery – Safety – Part 4-1: Particular Requirements For Chain Saws
- UL 62841-4-2, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery Safety Part 4-2: Particular Requirements For Hedge Trimmers
- UL 62841-4-3, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery Safety Part 4-3: Particular Requirements For Pedestrian Controlled Walk-Behind Lawnmowers
- UL 62841-4-4, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery Safety Part 4-4: Particular Requirements For Lawn Trimmers, Lawn Edge Trimmers, Grass Trimmers, Brush Cutters and Bruch Saws
- UL 62841-4-1000, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery Safety Part 4-1000: Particular Requirements For Utility Machines

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Member of the ANSI/UL TC 745 – *Electric Tools*, that is responsible formaintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 987, Standard for Stationary and Fixed Electric Tools
- UL 1097, Double Insulation Systems for Use in Electrical Equipment
- UL 745-1, Standard for Portable Electric Tools
- UL 60745-1, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 1: General Requirements
- UL 745-2-31, Particular Requirements for Diamond Core Drills
- UL 745-2-32, Particular Requirements for Magnetic Drill Presses
- UL 60745-2-1, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-1: Particular Requirements for Drills and Impact Drills
- UL 60745-2-2, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-2: Particular Requirements for Screwdrivers and Impact Wrenches
- UL 60745-2-3, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-3: Particular Requirements for Grinders, Polishers and Disk-Type Sanders
- UL 60745-2-4, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-4: Particular Requirements for Sanders and Polishers Other Than Disk Type
- UL 60745-2-5, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-5: Particular Requirements for Circular Saws
- UL 60745-2-6, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-6: Particular Requirements for Hammers
- UL 60745-2-8, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-8: Particular Requirements for Shears and Nibblers
- UL 60745-2-9, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-9: Particular Requirements for Tappers
- UL 60745-2-11, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-11: Particular Requirements for Reciprocating Saws
- UL 60745-2-12, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-12: Particular Requirements for Concrete Vibrators
- UL 60745-2-13, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-13: Particular Requirements for Chain Saws
- UL 60745-2-14, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-14: Particular Requirements for Planers
- UL 60745-2-16, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-16: Particular Requirements for Tackers
- UL 60745-2-17, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-17: Particular Requirements for Routers and Trimmers
- UL 60745-2-18, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-18: Particular Requirements for Strapping Tools
- UL 60745-2-19, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-19: Particular Requirements for Jointers
- UL 60745-2-20, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-20: Particular Requirements for Band Saws
- UL 60745-2-21, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-21: Particular Requirements for Drain Cleaners
- UL 60745-2-22, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-22: Particular Requirements for Cut-Off Machines
- UL 60745-2-23, Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools Safety Part 2-23: Particular Requirements for Die Grinders and Small Rotary Tools

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- UL 2565, Standard for Manual and Semi-Automatic Metal Sawing Machines
- UL 62841-2-1, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-1: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Drills and Impact Drills
- UL 62841-2-2, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-2: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Screwdrivers and Impact Wrenches
- UL 62841-2-3, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-3: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Grinders, Disc-Type Polishers and Disc-Type Sanders
- UL 62841-2-4, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-4: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Sanders and Polishers Other Than Disk Type
- UL 62841-2-5, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-5: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Circular Saws
- UL 62841-2-6, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-6: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Hammers
- UL 62841-2-8, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery – Safety – Part 2-8: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Shears and Nibblers
- UL 62841-2-9, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-9: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Tappers and Threaders
- UL 62841-2-10, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-10: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Mixers
- UL 62841-2-11, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery – Safety – Part 2-11: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Reciprocating Saws
- UL 62841-2-14, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-14: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Planers
- UL 62841-2-17, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-14: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Routers
- UL 62841-2-21, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 2-14: Particular Requirements for Hand-Held Drain Cleaners
- UL 62841-3-1, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-1: Particular Requirements for Transportable Table Saws
- UL 62841-3-4, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery – Safety – Part 3-4: Particular Requirements for Transportable Bench Grinders
- UL 62841-3-6, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-6: Particular Requirements for Transportable Diamond Drills With Liquid System
- UL 62841-3-7, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-7: Particular Requirements for Transportable Wall Saws
- UL 62841-3-9, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-9: Particular Requirements for Transportable Mitre Saws

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- UL 62841-3-10, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-10: Particular Requirements for Transportable Cut-Off Machines
- UL 62841-3-13, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-13: Particular Requirements for Transportable Drills
- UL 62841-3-14, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-14: Particular Requirements for Transportable Drain Cleaners
- UL 62841-3-1000, Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery Safety Part 3-1000: Particular Requirements for Transportable Laser Engravers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1449 – *Surge Protectors*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 1449, Standard for Surge Protective Devices

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1053 – *Ground Fault Sensing And Relaying Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 1053, Standard for Ground-Fault Sensing and Relaying Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 943 – *Ground-Fault Circuit-Interrupters*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 943, Ground-Fault Circuit-Interrupters
- UL 943B, Standard for Appliance Leakage-Current Interrupters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1699 – *Arc-Fault Circuit-Interrupters*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 1699, Standard for Arc-Fault Circuit-Interrupters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 62446 – *Photovoltaic Systems* – *Requirements for Testing, Documentation And Maintenance* – *Grid Connected Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 62093, Standard for Balance-of-Systems Components for Photovoltaic Systems – Design Qualification Natural Environments

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1699B – *Photovoltaic (PV) DC Arc-Fault Circuit Protection*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 1699B, Standard for Photovoltaic (PV) DC Arc-Fault Circuit Protection

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1741 – *Inverters, Converters, And Controllers For Use In Independent Power Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1741, Standard for Inverters, Converters, Controllers and Interconnection System Equipment for Use With Distributed Energy Resources
- UL 62109-1, Standard for Safety of Power Converters for use in Photovoltaic (PV) Power Systems Part 1: General Requirements
- UL 62109-2, Standard for Safety of Power Converters for use in Photovoltaic (PV) Power Systems Part 2: Particular Requirements for Inverters

- UL 62109-3, Standard for Safety of Power Converters for use in Photovoltaic (PV) Power Systems Part 3: General Requirements for Electronic Devices in Combination With Photovoltaic Elements
- UL 63112, Photovoltaic (PV) Arrays Earth Fault Protection Equipment Safety and Safety-Related Functionality

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 3741 – *Photovoltaic Hazard Control*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 3741, Standard for Photovoltaic Hazard Control

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 8801 – *Photovoltaic (PV) Luminaire Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 8801, Standard for Photovoltaic (PV) Luminaire Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6703 –Connectors for Use in *Photovoltaic (PV) Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

- UL 6703, Standard for Connectors for Use in Photovoltaic (PV) Systems
- UL 9703, Outline of Investigation for Distributed Generation Wiring Harness
- UL 62852, Connectors for DC-Application in Photovoltaic Systems Safety Requirements

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1598 – *Luminaires*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1574, Standard for Track Lighting Systems
- UL 1598, Standard for Luminaires
- UL 1598A, Standard for Supplemental Requirements for Luminaires for Installation on Marine Vessels
- UL 1598B, Standard for Supplemental Requirements for Luminaire Reflector Kits for Installation on Previously Installed Fluorescent Luminaires

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 8750 – *Solid State And Light Emitting Diode (LED) Lighting*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 8750, Standard for Light Emitting Diode (LED) Equipment for Use in Lighting Products

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2735 – *Electric Utility Meters*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 2735, Standard for Electric Utility Meters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1558 – *Metal-Enclosed Low-Voltage Power Circuit Break Switchgear*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1062, Standard for Unit Substations
- UL 1558, Standard for Metal-Enclosed Low-Voltage Power Circuit Breaker Switchgear

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 98 – *Power Switching Devices*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 98, Standard for Enclosed and Dead-Front Switches
- UL 363, Standard for Knife Switches
- UL 977, Standard for Fused Power-Circuit Devices
- UL 1429, Standard for Pullout Switches

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Member of the ANSI/UL TC 489 – *Molded-Case Circuit Breakers, Molded-Case Switches, and Supplementary Protectors*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 489, Standard for Molded-Case Circuit Breakers, Molded-Case Switches, and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures
- UL 489A, Standard for Circuit Breakers for Use in Communication Equipment
- UL 1066, Standard for Low-Voltage AC and DC Power Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures
- UL 1077, Standard for Supplementary Protectors for Use in Electrical Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 489B – *Molded-Case Circuit Breakers, Molded-Case Switches, and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures For Use With Photovoltaic (PV) Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 489B, Standard for Molded-Case Circuit Breakers, Molded-Case Switches, and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures For Use With Photovoltaic (PV) Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1008 – *Transfers Switch Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1008, Standard for Transfer Switch Equipment
- UL 1008M, Standard for Transfer Switch Equipment, Meter Mounted
- UL 1008S, Standard for Solid-State Transfer Switches

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 347 – *Medium-Voltage AC Contactors, Controllers, and Control Centers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standard:

• UL 347, Standard for Medium-Voltage AC Contactors, Controllers, and Control Centers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 61800 – *Adjustable Speed Electrical Power Drive Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 61800, Standard for Adjustable Speed Electrical Power Drive Systems
- UL 61800-5-1, Standard for Adjustable Speed Electrical Power Drive Systems Part 5-1: Safety Requirements Electrical, Thermal and Energy
- UL 61800-5-2, Standard for Adjustable Speed Electrical Power Drive Systems Part 5-2: Safety Requirements Functional

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2157 – *Electric Clothes Washing Machines, Extractors, and Dryers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1206, Standard for Electric Commercial Clothes-Washing Equipment
- UL 1240, Standard for Electric Commercial Clothes-Drying Equipment
- UL 2157, Electric Clothes Washing Machines and Extractors
- UL 2158, Electric Clothes Dryers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60335-2-40 – *Heating and Cooling Equipment, Heat Pumps, Air Conditioners and Dehumidifiers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1995, Heating and Cooling Equipment
- UL 1996, Electric Duct Heaters
- UL 60335-2-40, Household and Similar Electrical Appliances, Part 2-40: Particular Requirements for Electrical Heat Pumps, Air-Conditioners and Dehumidifiers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 873C – *Motor Thermal And Compressor Protectors*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 2111, Standard for Overheating Protection for Motors
- UL 60730-2-3, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Thermal Protectors for Ballasts for Tubular Fluorescent Lamps
- UL 60730-2-4, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Thermal Motor Protectors for Motor Compressors of Hermetic and Semi-Hermetic Type
- UL 60730-2-10, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Motor Starting Relays
- UL 60730-2-22, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Thermal Motor Protectors

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 873D – *Timers and Time Switches*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 917, Standard for Clock-Operated Switches
- UL 60730-2-7, Standard for Automatic Electric Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Timers and Time Switches

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 873E – *Temperature Controls, Appliance Controls*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 244A, Solid-State Controls for Appliances
- UL 353, Limit Controls
- UL 873, Temperature-Indicating and -Regulating Equipment
- UL 60730-2-11A, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Energy Regulators
- UL 60730-2-12, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Automatic Electrically Operated Door Locks
- UL 60730-2-13, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Humidity Sensing Controls
- UL 60730-2-13A, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Humidity Sensing Controls
- UL 60730-2-15, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use - Part 2-15: Particular Requirements for Automatic Electrical Air Flow, Water Flow and Water Level Sensing Controls
- UL 60730-2-6, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Automatic Electrical Pressure Sensing Controls Including Mechanical Requirements
- UL 60730-2-9, Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use Part 2: Particular Requirements for Temperature Sensing Controls

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6691 – *Thermal-Links* – *Requirements And Application Guide*, that is responsible for maintaining thefollowing UL Safety Standards:

• UL 60691, Standard for Thermal-Links – Requirements and Application Guide

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6384 – *Fixed Capacitors For Use in Electronic Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining thefollowing UL Safety Standards:

 UL 60384-14, Safety Requirements for Fixed Capacitors for Use in Electronic Equipment – Part 14: Sectional Specification: Fixed Capacitors for Electromagnetic Interference Suppression and Connection to the Supply Mains

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 83 – *Power Cables*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 44, Thermoset-Insulated Wires and Cables
- UL 66, Fixture Wire
- UL 83, Thermoplastic-Insulated Wires and Cables
- UL 83A, Standard for Fluoropolymer Insulated Wire
- UL 83B, Switchboard and Switchgear Wires and Cables
- UL 854, Standard for Service-Entrance Cables
- UL 1063, Standard for Machine-Tool Wires and Cables
- UL 1277, Standard for Electrical Power and Control Tray Cables With Optional Optical-Fiber Members
- UL 1426, Standard for Electrical Cables for Boats
- UL 1581, Reference Standard for Electrical Wires, Cables, and Flexible Cords
- UL 1685, Standard for Vertical-Tray Fire-Propagation and Smoke-Release Test for Electrical and Optical-Fiber Cables
- UL 2556, Wire and Cables Test Methods

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 746 – *Polymeric Materials*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 94, Standard for Tests for Flammability of Plastic Materials for Parts in Devices and Appliances
- UL 746A, Standard for Polymeric Materials Short Term Property Evaluations
- UL 746B, Standard for Polymeric Materials Long Term Property Evaluations
- UL 746C, Standard for Polymeric Materials Use in Electrical Equipment Evaluations
- UL 746D, Standard for Polymeric Materials Fabricated Parts
- UL 1692, Standard for Polymeric Materials Coil Forms
- UL 1694, Standard for Tests for Flammability of Small Polymeric Component Materials

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 583 – *Industrial Trucks*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 558, Industrial Trucks, Internal-Combustion, Engine-Power
- UL 583, Electric-Battery-Powered Industrial Trucks

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 67 – *Power Distribution*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 67, Standard for Panelboards
- UL 869A, Reference Standard for Service Equipment
- UL 891, Standard for Switchboards
- UL 1773, Standard for Termination Boxes

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Member of the ANSI/CAN/UL TC 325 – *Door, Drapery, Gate, Louver, And Window Operators And Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

 UL 325, Standard for Door, Drapery, Gate, Louver, and Window Operators and Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 294– *Access Control Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 294, Standard for Access Control System Units

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60730-1 – *Automatic Electrical Controls for Household And Similar Use*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 60730-1, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls Part 1: General Requirements
- UL 244B, Standard for Field Installed and/or Field Connected Appliance Controls

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 498 – *Attachment Plug And Receptacles*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 498, Standard for Attachment Plugs and Receptacles
- UL 498B, Outline of Investigation for Receptacles with Integral Switching Means
- UL 498C, Standard for Flatron and Appliance Plugs
- UL 498D, Attachment Plugs, Cord Connectors, and Receptacles with Arcuate (Locking Type)
 Contacts
- UL 498E, Attachment Plugs, Cord Connectors and Receptacles Enclosure Types for Environmental Protection
- UL 498F, Plugs, Socket-Outlets and Couplers with Arcuate (Locking Type) Contacts
- UL 498M, Marine Shore Power Inlets
- UL 1567, Standard for Receptacles and Switches Intended for Use with Aluminum Wire
- UL 1681, Standard for Wiring Device Configurations
- UL 62986, Standard for Plugs, Socket-Outlets and Couplers with Arcuate Contacts

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 231 – *Power Outlets*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 231, Standard for Power Outlets

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 347A – *Medium Voltage Power Conversion Controllers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 347A, Standard for Medium Voltage Power Conversion Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 499 – *Electric Heating Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 499, Standard for Electric Heating Appliances

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 507 – *Electric Fans and Power Ventilators*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 507, Standard for Electric Fans
- UL 705, Standard for Safety for Power Ventilators
- UL 60335-2-80, Standard for Household and similar electrical appliances Safety Part 2-80: Particular requirements for fans.

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 858 – *Household Electric Ranges*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 858, Standard for Household Electric Ranges

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60730A – *Burner Controls*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 372, Standard for Automatic Electrical Control for Household and Similar Use Part2: Particular requirements for Burner Ignition Systems and Components
- UL 60730-2-5, Standard for Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use, Part 2-5: Particular requirements for Automatic Electrical Burner Control Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 859 – *Electric Personal Grooming Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 859, Standard for Household Electric Personal Grooming Appliances
- UL 1727, Standard for Commercial Electric Personal Grooming Appliances

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1026 – *Electric Household Cooking Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1026, Standard for Household Electric Cooking and Food Serving Appliances
- UL 1082, Standard for Household Electric Coffee Makers and Brewing-Type Appliances
- UL 1083, Standard for Household Electric Skillets and Frying-Type Appliances
- UL 60335-2-15, Household and Similar Electrical Appliances Safety Part 2 15: Particular requirements for Appliances for Heating Liquids

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1310 – *Power Supplies*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 697, Standard for Toy Transformers
- UL 1310, Standard for Class 2 Power Units
- UL 2089, Standard for Vehicle Battery Adapters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1411 – *Transformers For Audio, Radio, And Television Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1411, Standard for Transformers and Motor Transformers for Use in Audio-, Radio-, and Television-Type Appliances
- UL 1876, Standard for Isolating Signal and Feedback Transformers for Use in Electronic Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1434 – *Thermistor-Type Devices*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1434, Standard for Thermistor-Type Devices

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1647 – *Motor-Operated Massage And Exercise Machines*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1647, Standard for Motor-Operated Massage and Exercise Machines

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1682 – *Plugs, Receptacles, And Cable Connectors Of The Pin And Sleeve Type Configurations*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

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- UL 1682, Standard for Plugs, Receptacles, and Cable Connectors of the Pin and Sleeve Type
- UL 1686, Standard for Pin and Sleeve Configurations

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2200 – *Stationary Engine Generator Assemblies*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2200, Standard for Stationary Engine Generator Assemblies

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2200A – *Stationary Engine Generator Enclosures*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2200A, Standard for Outline of Investigation for Fire Containment Testing of Stationary Engine Generator Enclosures

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2237 – *Multi-Point Interconnection Power Cable Assemblies For Industrial Machinery*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

 UL 2237, Standard for Multi-Point Interconnection Power Cable Assemblies for Industrial Machinery

Member of the UL TC 60601-1 – *Medical and Dental Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2237, Medical Electrical Equipment, Pat 1: General Requirements for Safety

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6131 – *Programmable Controllers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 61010-2-201, Standard for Safety Requirements for Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control, and Laboratory Use – Part 2-201: Particular requirements for Control Equipment
- UL 61131-2, Standard for Programmable Controllers Part 2: Equipment Requirements and Tests

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1998 – *Software*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1998, Standard for Software in Programmable Components

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 5500 – *Remote Software Updates*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 5500, Standard for Safety for Remote Software Updates

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 9741 – *Electric Vehicle Power Export Equipment (EVPE)*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 9741, Standard for Outline of Investigation for Bidirectional Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging System Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2251 – *Plugs, Receptacles, And Couplers For Electric Vehicles*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2251, Standard for Plugs, Receptacles, and Couplers for Electric Vehicles

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2263 – *Electric Vehicle Cable*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2263, Standard for Electric Vehicle Cable

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2750 – *Wireless Power Transfer Equipment For Electric Vehicles*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2750, Standard for Wireless Power Transfer Equipment for Electric Vehicles

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 61058 – *Switches For Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 2557, Standard for Membrane Switches
- UL 61058, Standard for Switches for Appliances
- UL 61058-1, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 1: General Requirements
- UL 61058-1-1, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 1-1: Requirements for Mechanical Switches
- UL 61058-1-2, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 1-2: Requirements for Electronic Switches
- UL 61058-2-1, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 2: Particular requirements for Cord Switches
- UL 61058-2-5, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 2-5: Particular requirements for Change-Over Selectors
- UL 61058-2-6, Standard for Switches for Appliances Part 2-6: Particular requirements for Switches Used in Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools and Lawn and Garden Machinery

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 61810 – *Electromechanical Elementary Relays*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 61810, Standard for Electromechanical Elementary Relays
- UL 61810-1, Standard for Electromechanical Elementary Relays Part 1: General Requirements

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60947-4 – *Contactors And Motor-Starters*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 508, Standard for Industrial Control Equipment
- UL 60947-1, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear Part 1: General rules
- UL 60947-4, Standard for Contactors and Motor-Starters
- UL 60947-4-1, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear Part 4-1: Contactors and Motor-Starters Electromechanical Contactors and Motor-Starters
- UL 60947-4-2, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear Part 4-2: Contactors and Motor-Starters AC Semiconductor Motor Controllers and Starters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60947-5 – *Control Circuit Devices And Proximity Switches*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 60947-5, Standard for Control Circuit Devices and Proximity Switches
- UL 60947-5-1, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear Part 5-1: Control Circuit Devices and Switching Elements – Electromechanical Control Circuit Devices
- UL 60947-5-2, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear Part 5-2: Control Circuit Devices and Switching Elements Proximity Switches

• UL 60947-5-5, Standard for Low-Voltage Switchgear and Controlgear – Part 5-5: Control Circuit Devices and Switching Elements – Electrical emergency stop device with mechanical latching function

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 62841-1 – *Motor-Operated Tools And Garden Machinery*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 62841-1, Standard for Electric Motor-Operated Hand-Held Tools, Transportable Tools And Lawn And Garden Machinery – Safety – Part1: General Requirements

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 982 – *Motor-Operated Household Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 982, Standard for Motor-Operated Household Food Preparing Machines

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 48 – *Electric Signs*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 48, Standard for Electric Signs
- UL 879A, Standard for LED Sign and Sign Retrofit Kits

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 96 – *Lightning Protection Components*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 96, Standard for Lightning Protection Components
- UL 96A, Standard for Installation Requirements for Lightning Protection Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 197 – *Commercial Cooking Appliances*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 197, Standard for Commercial Electric Cooking Appliances

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 335A – *Household and Similar Electrical Appliances* – *General Requirements*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 60335-1, Standard for Safety of Household and Similar Appliances, Part 1: General Requirements

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 335B – *Hermetic Refrigerant Motor-Compressors* – *General Requirements*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 60335-2-34, Standard for Safety of Household and Similar Appliances - Safety, Part 2-34: Particular requirements for Motor-Compressors

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 484 – *Room Air Conditioners*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 484, Standard for Room Air Conditioners

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 563 – *Ice Makers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 563, Standard for Ice Makers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 574 – *Electric Oil Heaters*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 574, Standard for Electric Oil Heaters

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 817 – *Cord Sets and Power-Supply Cords*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 817, Standard for Cord Sets and Power-Supply Cords

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 924 – *Emergency Lighting and Power Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 924, Standard for Emergency Lighting and Power Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 998 – *Humidifiers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 998, Standard for Humidifiers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1008A – *Medium-Voltage Transfer Switches*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1008A, Standard for Transfer Switch Equipment, Over 1000 Volts

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1562 – *Transformers, Distribution, Dry-Type Over 600 Volts*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1562, Standard for Transformers, Distribution, Dry-Type Over 600 Volts

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1563 – *Electric Spas, Equipment Assemblies, and Associated Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1563, Standard for Electric Spas, Equipment Assemblies, and Associated Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1673 – *Electric Radiant Heating Panels and Cables*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1673, Standard for Electric Space Heating Cables
- UL 1693, Standard for Electric Radiant Heating Panels and Heating Panel Sets
- UL 2683, Standard for Electric Heating Systems for Floor and Ceiling Installation

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1740 – *Robot and Robotic Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1740, Standard for Robots and Robotic Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1778 – *Uninterruptible Power Systems*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1778, Standard for Uninterruptible Power Systems

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1974 – *Electric Spas, Equipment Assemblies, and Associated Equipment*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 1563, Standard for Electric Spas, Equipment Assemblies, and Associated Equipment

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 2743 – *Portable Power Packs*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 2743, Standard for Portable Power Packs

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Member of the ANSI/UL TC 6065 – *Audio, Video And Similar Electronic Apparatus* – *Safety Requirements*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 150, Standard for Antenna Rotators
- UL 452, Standard for Antenna Discharge Units
- UL 469, Standard for Musical Instruments and Accessories
- UL 813, Standard for Commercial Audio Equipment
- UL 1412, Standard for Fusing Resistors and Temperature-Limited Resistors for Radioand Television- Type Appliances
- UL 1413, Standard for High-Voltage Components for Television-Type-Appliances
- UL 1416, Standard for Overcurrent and Overtemperature Protectors for Radio- and Television- Type Appliances
- UL 1417, Standard for Special Fuses for Radio- and Television-Type Appliances
- UL 1492, Standard for Audio-Video Products and Accessories
- UL 1676, Standard for Conductive-Path and Discharge-Path Resistors for Use in Radio, Video-, or Television-Type Appliances
- UL 6500, Standard for Audio/Video and Musical Instrument Apparatus for Household, Commercial, and Similar General Use
- UL 60065, Standard for Audio, Video and Similar Electronic Apparatus Safety Requirements

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60335-2-8 – *Hair Clipping And Shaving*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

• UL 60335-2-8, Standard for Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Safety – Part 2-8: Particular requirements for Shavers, Hair Clippers, and Similar Appliances

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 1004-1 – Motors, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 1004-1, Standard for Rotating Electrical Machines General Requirements
- UL 1004-2, Standard for Impedance Protected Motors
- UL 1004-3, Standard for Thermally Protected Motors
- UL 1004-4, Standard for Electric Generators
- UL 1004-5, Standard for Fire Pump Motors
- UL 1004-6, Standard for Servo and Stepper Motors
- UL 1004-7, Standard for Electronically Protected Motors
- UL 1004-8, Standard for Inverter Duty Motors
- UL 1004-9, Standard for Form Wound and Medium Voltage Rotating Electrical Machines
- UL 1004-10, Standard for Pool Pump Motors
- UL 60034-1, Standard for Rotating Electrical Machines Part1: Rating and Performance
- UL 60034-2, Standard for Rotating Electrical Machines Part 2-1: Standard methods for determining losses and efficiency from tests (excluding machines for traction vehicles
- UL 60034-5, Standard for Rotating Electrical Machines Part 5: Degrees of Protection Provided by the Integral Design of Rotating Electrical Machines (IP code) – Classification

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60335-2-24 – *Refrigerating Appliances, Ice-Cream Appliances And Ice-Makers*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

 UL 60335-2-24, Standard for Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Safety – Part 2-24: Particular requirements for Refrigerating Appliances, Ice-Cream Appliances and Ice-Makers

Member of the ANSI/UL TC 60335-2-89 – *Commercial Refrigeration And Freezers, Unit Coolers, And Refrigerating Units*, that is responsible for maintaining the following UL Safety Standards:

- UL 412, Standard for Refrigeration Unit Coolers
- UL 427, Standard for Refrigerating Units
- UL 471, Standard for Commercial Refrigerators and Freezers
- UL 60335-2-89, Standard for Household and Similar Electrical Appliances Safety Part 2-89: Particular Requirements for Commercial Refrigerating Appliances and Ice-Makers with an Incorporated or Remote Refrigerant Unit or Motor-Compressor

Honors

- Elected to President of the National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE) and Chairman of the Board of Directors for NAFE, 2022
- Elected to Fellow (F.NSPE) by the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) Board of Directors, 2020
- Appointed by NSPE President to serve as Chairman of the NSPE Board of Ethical Review, 2012-2013

Publications

- "The Evolution of Batteries Utilized in Outdoor Power Tools and Vehicles," Sudler, III, S.G., and Fogarty, A., Defense Research Institute (DRI), 2022
- "Use of 3D Printing in Forensic Investigations," Sudler, III, S.G., and Swanson, J.E., Defense Research Institute (DRI), 2016
- "The Forensic Engineer as an Expert: Developing Your Construction Defect Case Defense," Sudler, III, S.G., and Gridley, J.A., Defense Research Institute (DRI), 2011
- "Management of Catastrophic Industrial or Construction Disasters from Prevention to Preservation," Dukes, W.W., Sudler, III, S.G., and Culbreath, G.T., Federation of Defense and Corporate Council (FDCC), 2010
- "Who's In Charge Here? Management of the Complex Fire Scene," Sudler, III, S.G., Defense Research Institute (DRI), 2008

Professional Affiliations

Past-President and Member of Board of Directors for the National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE)

Former Senior Vice President and Member of Board of Directors for the National Academy ofForensic Engineers (NAFE)

Former Director-At-Large, Board of Directors for the National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE)

Chairman, Ethics Committee for the National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE) Senior Member, National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE)

Former Member, National Institute for Engineering Ethics (NIEE) Executive Committee

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Former Chairman, National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) Board of Ethical Review (BER)

Former Northeast Regional Representative, National Society of Professional Engineers Board of Ethical Review

Senior Member, Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)

Senior Member, International Society of Automation (ISA)

Council Record Holder Designated Model Law Engineer (MLE), National Council of Examiners for Engineers and Surveyors (NCEES)

Former Chairman, NSPE/PEI Young Engineers Advisory Council (YEAC)

Former Vice President, Illinois Society of Professional Engineers (ISPE)

Licensed Member, National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE)

Member, NSPE/Professional Engineer in Industry Practice Division

Member, IEEE/Consumer Electronics Society

Member, IEEE/Industry Applications Society

Member, IEEE/Power and Energy Society

Member, National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)

Member, NFPA/Electrical Section

Participating Member, American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM)

Voting Member, ASTM/Nondestructive Testing Committee (Section E07)

Voting Member, ASTM/Forensic Sciences Committee (Section E30)

Voting Member, ASTM/Forensic Engineering Committee (Section E58)

Voting Member, ASTM/Electrical and Electronic Insulating Materials Committee (Section D09)

Member, National Association of Fire Investigators (NAFI)

Member, International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI)

Member, Institution of Engineering and Technology (MIET), formerly the Institute of Electrical Engineers (IEE)

Additional Training

- 2023 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (8 PDHs)
- 2023 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (8 PDHs)
- 2022 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (16 PDHs)
- 2022 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (16 PDHs)
- 2021 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (4 PDHs)
- 2021 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (4 PDHs)
- 2020 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (11 PDHs)
- 2020 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (11 PDHs)
- 2019 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (7 PDHs)
- 2019 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (7 PDHs)
- 2018 NAFE Application of Engineering in Jurisprudence Systems (8 PDHs)
- 2018 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (8 PDHs)
- 2017 NAFE Application of Engineering in the Jurisprudence System (8 PDHs)
- 2017 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Analysis, and Professional Practice (8 PDHs)
- 2016 NAFE Application of Engineering in the Jurisprudence System (8 PDHs)
- 2016 NAFE Ethics, Forensic Engineering, and Analytical Techniques (8 PDHs)
- 2015 NAFE Application of Engineering in the Jurisprudence System (8 PDHs)
- 2015 NAFE Ethics, Rules & Laws, Daubert-Proofing & Reasonably Dangerous Products (8 PDHs)

- 2014 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2014 NAFE Ethics, Use and Misuse of Standards for Forensic Engineers (8 PDHs)
- 2013 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2013 NAFE Ethical Considerations for Forensic Engineers (8 PDHs)
- 2012 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2012 NAFE Reports, Affidavits, Motions in Limine, Depositions, Court Testimony and Ethics (8 PDHs)
- 2011 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2011 NAFE Reports, Harassment, Contracts and Challenges (8 PDHs)
- 2010 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2010 NAFE Regular Depositions, Subpoenas, Records Production, Errata Sheets, Video Depositions, Rights and Responsibilities (8 PDHs)
- 2009 NAFE Forensic Engineer (FE) Evidence: Gathering, Storing, Analyzing, Documenting, Reporting, Copyright & Patent Rights (8PDHs)
- 2009 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2008 NAFI/NFPA Advanced Fire, Arson & Explosion Investigation Training Program
- 2008 NAFE Medical Information & Standards for Engineering Evidence (8 PDHs)
- 2008 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2008 Fire Investigation Methods and Updates on Current Investigative Issues, SEA, Ltd.
- 2007 NAFE General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 PDHs)
- 2007 IEEE Electric Drives: Understanding Basics (3 PDHs)
- 2007 IEEE An Introduction to Power Electronics (3 PDHs)
- 2007 IEEE Introduction to Instrumentation (3 PDHs)
- 2007 IEEE Cyber Security of Substation Control & Diagnostic Systems (3 PDHs)
- 2005 NAFE Daubert Challenges to Forensic Engineers and Scientific Methodologies (8 CEUs)
- 2005 NAFE Daubert Challenges to Forensic Engineers and Scientific Methodologies (8 CEUs)
- 2005 NSPE Risky Business: What Causes Claims and How to Avoid Them (1.5 PDHs)
- 2005 NSPE Engineering Ethics: You Be The Judge (1.5 PDHs)
- 2004 National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), General Topics in Forensic Engineering (8 CEUs)
- 2004 NSPE Global Issues in Engineering: Licensure and Legislature (1.5 PDHs)
- 2004 National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) Engineering Council (EC)
 Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) Evaluator Training
 (6 PDHs)
- 2003 Vehicle Fire, Arson & Explosion Investigation Science & Technology Seminar, NAFI, Eastern Kentucky University
- 2003 IAAI Electrical Appliance Fires, Gas Appliance and Explosions, Wood-Burning Appliance Fires (3 CEUs)
- 2002 NFPA National Electrical Code Seminar (2.1 CEUs)
- 1999 Learning Tree International Visual Basic and COM for Enterprising Applications: Hands On (3 CEUs)
- 1998 ABB Electrical Service M93 Course for IRB 6000 Robots
- 1998 ABB S3 Programming Course for IRB 6000 Robots
- 1998 Rockwell Automation Drive Systems Automax Intermediate Programming
- 1997 College of DuPage C Programming Language (5 credit hours)
- 1997 IDC Technical Training Course on Practical Process Control for Engineers and Technicians

- 1996 ACS Technical Training Course on Grounding, Shielding, and Surge Protection of Electrical Equipment for Instrumentation and Control
- 1996 Intellution DOS FIX DMACS Programming
- 1995 GE Series 90-70 PLC Basic Programming
- 1995 Siemens Industrial Automation Inc., S5 Programming II

Courses Taught/Presentations

- 2022 "Lithium-Ion Battery Forensic Investigations," McCoy Leavitt Laskey Fire Science Litigation Seminar, Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida
- 2022 "Practical Real-World Ethical Challenges a Forensic Engineer Faces and How to Contend with those Challenges," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Tucson, Arizona
- 2021 "Ethics for Forensic Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Virtual Meeting
- 2020 "2020 Update on Ethics, Law and Public Policy Affecting Forensic Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), San Diego, California
- 2019 "Electrical Systems and the Electrical Grid: Supplying Power or Causing the Program?", McCoy Leavitt Laskey Fire Science and Litigation Seminar, San Antonio, Texas
- 2019 "Update on Ethics, Law and Public Policy affecting Forensic Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Orlando, Florida
- 2018 "Evidence Preservation Protocols," Defense Research Institute (DRI) Fire Science Litigation Seminar, Washington, DC
- 2018 "Ethics and Engineers," National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE), Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2018 "Effective Use of Demonstrative Exhibits," USLAW, Lloyds of London, London, England
- 2018 "Electronic Cigarette Forensic Investigations," Ark Syndicate Management Limited, London, England
- 2018 "Ethics, Law and Public Policy Affecting Forensic Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Phoenix, Arizona
- 2017 "Ethics and Engineering," National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE), Atlanta, Georgia
- 2017 "Ethics for Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), New Orleans, Louisiana
- 2016 "Use of 3D Printing in Forensic Investigations," Defense Research Institute (DRI) Fire and Casualty Seminar, New Orleans, Louisiana
- 2016 "Ethics for Engineers," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Tampa, Florida
- 2015 "Ethics in Engineering," National Academy of Forensic Engineers (NAFE), Hollywood Beach, Florida
- 2012 "Experiential Adjusters Boot Camp," USLAW, Lloyds of London, London, England
- 2011 "The Forensic Engineer as an Expert: Developing Your Construction Defect Case Defense," Defense Research Institute (DRI), Phoenix, Arizona
- 2010 "Management of Catastrophic Industrial or Construction Disasters from Prevention to Preservation," Federation of Defense and Corporate Council (FDCC), Munich, Germany
- 2008 "Who's In Charge Here? Management of the Complex Fire Scene," Defense Research Institute (DRI) Fire and Casualty Seminar, Chicago, Illinois

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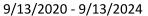
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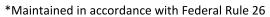
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- 2005 "Investigation of Electrical Fires," International Association of Arson Investigators (IAAI) Illinois Chapter, 22nd Annual Fire Investigation Training Conference, Urbana, Illinois
- 2005 "Electrical Engineering Subrogation Principles," National Association of Subrogation Professionals (NASP) North Central Region Educational Session, Chicago, Illinois

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| Kevin Cole and Selena Cole v. Crown Equipment Corporation | Deposition | 5/8/2024 | In The Starke Circuit Court Sitting at Knox, Indiana | 3:22-cv-00935 |
| Maxwell's Pharmacy, Inc. vs. Lakeside Pharmacy Holdings, Inc., Pearl Street Beverage, Inc., and MMG Insurance Company | Deposition | 3/26/2024 | State of Vermont Superior Court Civil Division | 22-cv-02256 |
| Brenda Farmer, et al. v. Dell, Inc. | Deposition | 2/15/2024 | Court of Gwinnett County State of Georgia | 20-C-05351-S5 |
| Caleb Rodriguez v. Crown Equipment Corporation | Deposition | 11/17/2023 | In the Court of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida Civil Division | 19-CA-001456 |
| Miller's Capital Insurance Company a/s/o GJK Properties, LLC. v. Express Roofing & Construction LLC, et al., | Deposition | 6/12/2023 | In the Circuit Court for Baltimore County | C-03-CV-22-003462 |
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| Jane Humphrey, Personal Representative of the Estate of Jeff Humphrey, Deceased v. McAbee Medical, Inc.; et al., Calvin King and Lettie King v. McAbee Medical, Inc.; et al. | Deposition | 11/22/2022 | In The Circuit Court of Madison County, Alabama | 47-CV-2019-900674 |
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| Philadelphia Insurance Company v. Chauvet & Sons LLC, et al. | Deposition | 10/6/2021 | United States District Court for Eastern District of Pennsylvania | 2:20-cv-01277-CMR |
| Reggie Bridges and Yashica Bridges v. Cloud 9 Vapors, LLC; Samsung SDI Co., Ltd; Samsung SDI America, Inc.; and John Does 1-10; Vapor Supply, LLC | Deposition | 8/25/2021 | In the Circuit Court of Forrest County, Mississippi | 18Cl1:19-cv-00117 |
| State Farm Fire & Casualty Co. a/s/o Donald Himlin v. Twin Star Home | Deposition | 4/23/2021 | In the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania | 5:20-cv-03973 |
| MCI Communications Services, Inc. and MCIMetro Access Transmission Services Corp. v. Thayer Power & Communication Line Construction Company, LLC | Deposition | 3/4/2021 | United States District Court Western District of North Carolina Charlotte Division | 3:19-cv-00379-RJC-DKC |
| Kristina Nolan, as parent and, natural guardian of, Karson Nolan, minor v. Steller Investment, LLC d/b/a Habits, et al. | Deposition | 12/16/2020 | In the State Court of Henry County, Georgia | STSV2019000956 |



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